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Inventor/Application Identifier: Tsuyoshi KAITO et al.

For: NON-AQUEOUS ELECTROLYTE RECHARGEABLE BATTERY

Enclosed are:

- [ X ] 5 sheets of drawings ( [ X ] formal [ ] informal size A4 ).  
[ X ] 22 pages of specification, including claims and abstract.  
[ X ] 27 total pages  
[ X ] Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney  
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Japan Patent Appln. No. 2000-110269 filed April 12, 2000.

☒ This is a ☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-Part of prior application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:  
--This is a ☐ continuation, ☐ division, ☐ continuation-in-part, of application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_

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